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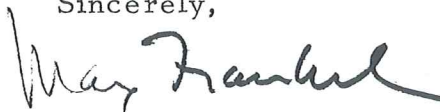
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Dear Mr. Morgan:

Thank you for your kind letter. The policies of John Kennedy were in continuity with what went before and what came after. And the Kennedy advisers carried that continuity fervently into the Johnson years. What might have been is speculation and the evidence for such speculation is mixed, at best. My guess is that President Kennedy would have gotten involved, too, though he might have pulled back sooner than Mr. Johnson.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Max Frankel". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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